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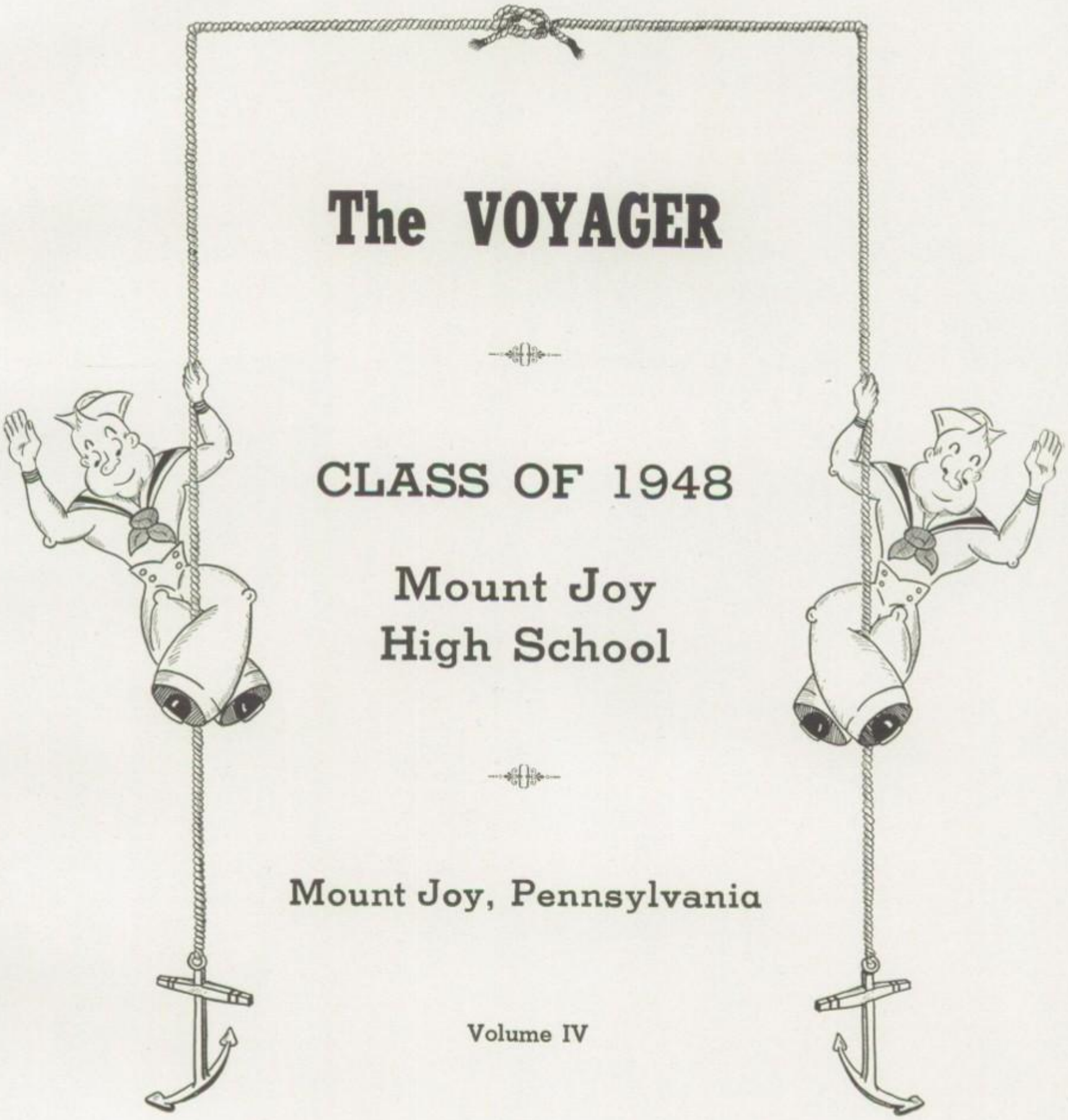

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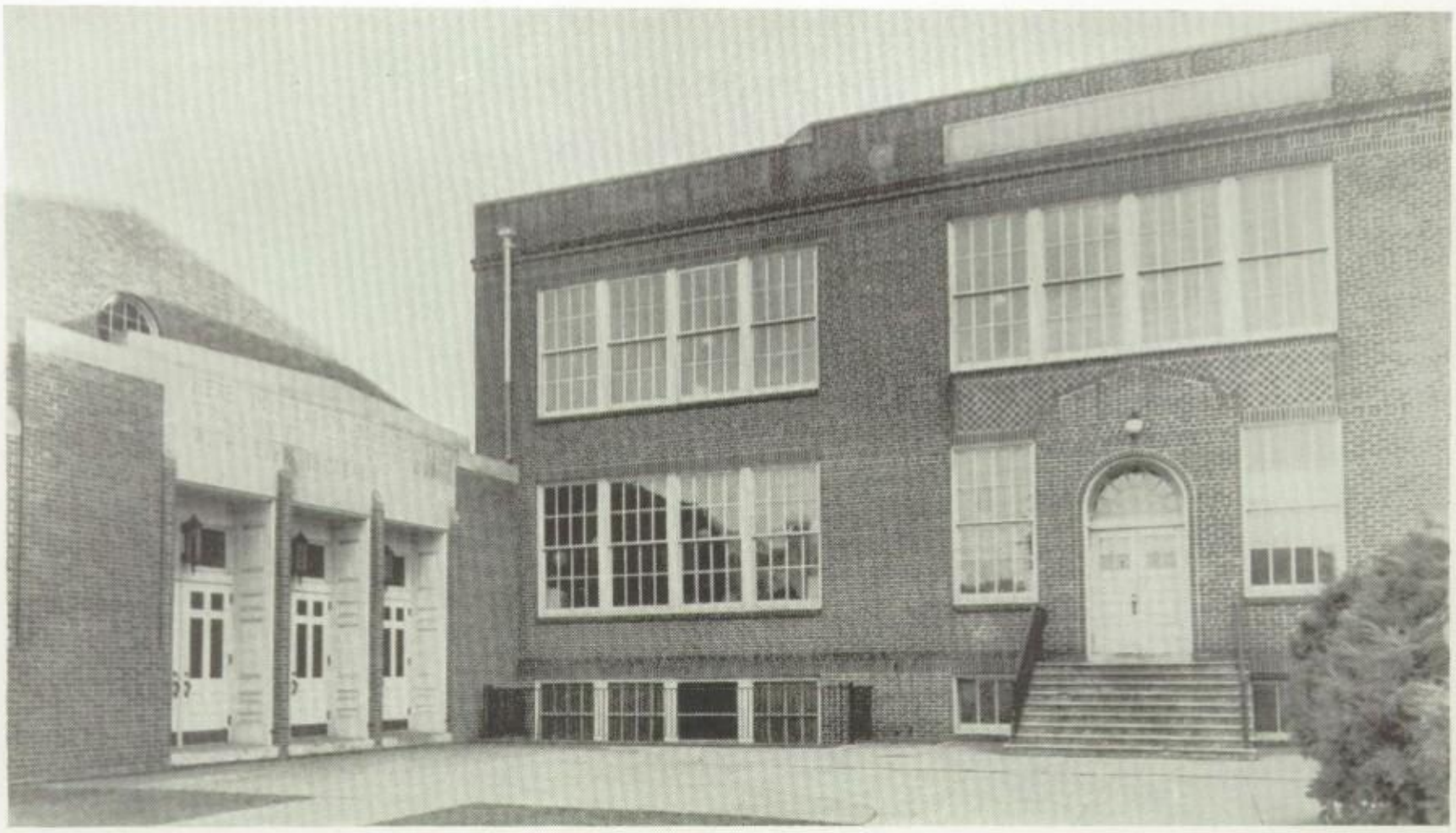
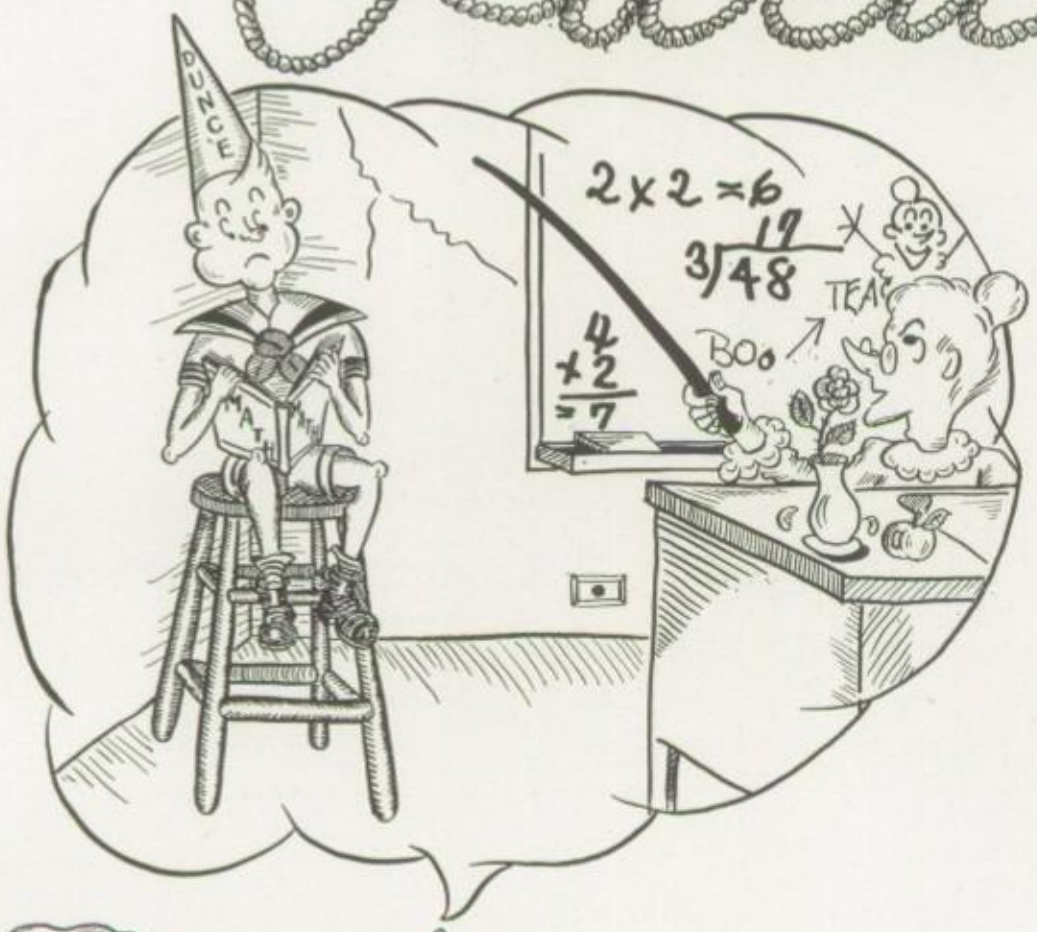
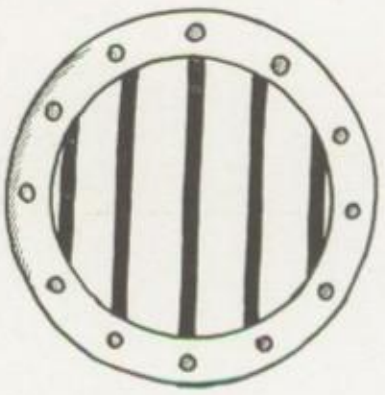


FOREWORD

With the publication of this classbook, we, the Class of '48, hope to provide a source of pleasant recollections in years to come. May it recall fond memories of days spent with former classmates here at Mount Joy. Thanks to the patience and understanding of a competent faculty we feel better prepared to make the best of what life has to offer.

Faculty





W. I. BEAHM

Supervising Principal

B. S., Elizabethtown College; M. Ed., Temple University; Blue Ridge College; Juniata College; Millersville State Teachers College; Duke University

To The Class of 1948:

Each year of our lives the days seem to go by a little faster. It seems only yesterday that you entered Mount Joy High School as freshmen. Throughout your years in school we have endeavored to assist each of you to become an individual who can help himself. Your successes have been our successes and your failures our failures. In your curricular and extracurricular activities you have repeatedly demonstrated the ability to work together, a lesson which mankind sorely needs to learn. If your years in school have not done for you what you feel they should, it now becomes your duty to help make it possible that education in the future will meet more of the needs of boys and girls.

As you join the ranks of the alumni, we want you to know that our interest in you still continues, and we hope your interest in the school will do likewise. We do not feel that you have finished learning, but that you have only transferred from one situation to another. Whether you take a position in industry or enter a higher institution of learning, our best wishes go with you, each and every one.

Sincerely,

W. I. BEAHM

Faculty

HELEN ALEXANDER
Latin, Social Studies, Spanish
B.A., Dickinson College.

CLARA BYERS
Art
B.S., Indiana State Teachers College.

JOHN D. DAY
Physical Education and Science
B.S., West Chester State Teachers College.

DORIS DEMUTH
Commercial Subjects
B.S., Elizabethtown College.

VIRGINIA GORGODIAN
Health and Physical Education
B.S., West Chester State Teachers College.

ALMEDA B. GRIFFITH
Vocational Home Economics
B.S., Millersville State Teachers College,
Pennsylvania State College.

EDNA MARTIN
Social Studies and Library
Millersville State Teachers College.

WILLARD D. NEWTON
Music
B.S., West Chester State Teachers College;
University of Pennsylvania;
Temple University.

Faculty

CHARLES S. ROVENOLT
Industrial Arts

B.S., Millersville State Teachers College;

Bucknell University;

Bloomsburg State Teachers College.

H. K. SCHOENER
Science

B.S., Albright College;

Duke University;

Pennsylvania State College;

Army Air Forces Technical School, Chanute Field, Ill.

M. THELMA TAYLOR
Mathematics

B.A., Susquehanna University;

M. Ed., Duke University.

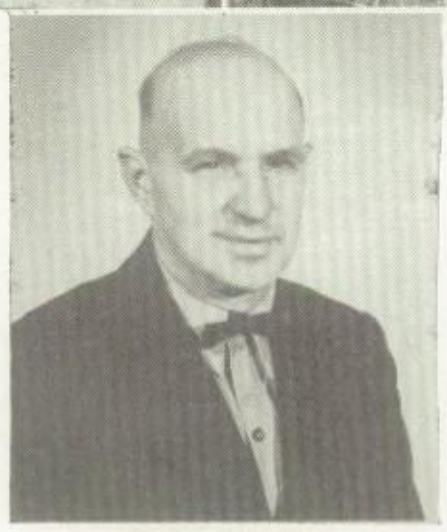
MARGARET WILLIAMS
English, Social Studies, Guidance

B.A., University of Michigan.

CATHARINE G. ZELLER
English

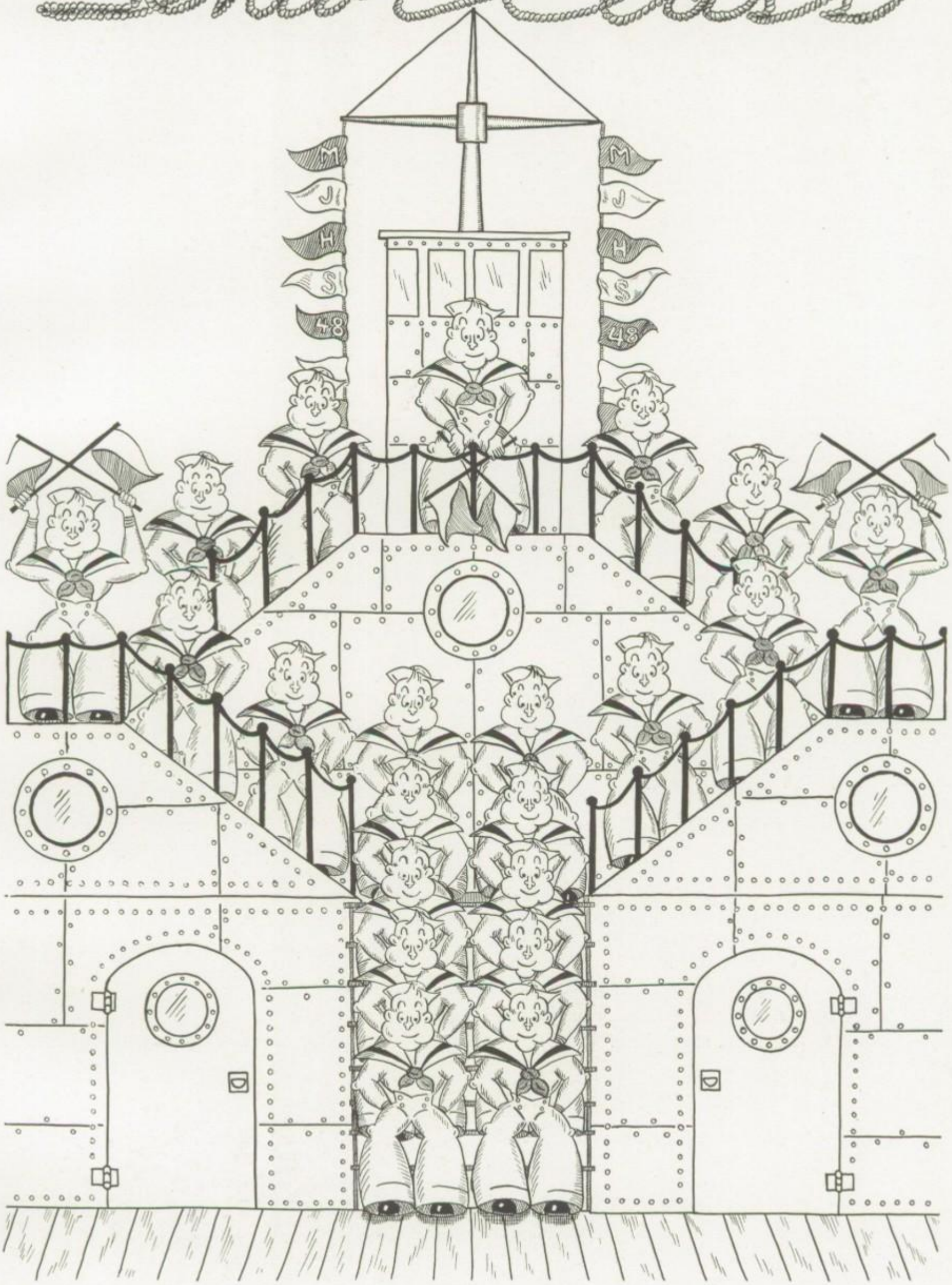
B.A., Pennsylvania State College.

PHYLLIS BECKER
Secretary



ROY HERR
Janitor

Senior Class



Left to right: Espenshade, secretary; R. Sheetz, vice president; Linton, president; Wolgemuth, treasurer.

Small Class Proves Successful

Finally they had reached their goal—their last year and a year of work and responsibility! The first activity of the year was a bus trip to visit the Ephrata Cloisters and the Hershey Museum.

In October the seniors conducted a refreshment stand at the Community Exhibit. In November, at the Mount Joy Farmers' Market they held a food sale.

Also in November they presented a mystery-comedy, "Midnight." The sound effects supplied by Willard Newton, music supervisor, at the Hammond organ, helped to create a weird atmosphere.

Hallowe'en again found the seniors eager to celebrate at the home of Dale Williams, where games were played and appetites were satisfied.

To add money to the trip fund, the class held refreshment stands at the Elizabethtown and the East Hempfield basketball games.

Then the seniors were in charge of the Christmas assembly held in the auditorium. They also had, with the help of Mrs. Almeda Griffith, home economics teacher, a Christmas breakfast. Presents were exchanged and a delicious breakfast was served. All the girls received colonial dolls, and the boys were the recipients of miniature snowmen as favors.

They also held the Bunny Hop at the school in March, and in May they took their annual trip to Washington.

Baccalaureate, Class Day and Commencement closed the seniors' pleasant days in Mount Joy High School. Now that they are about to enter the wide world, they hope to use to the best advantage the knowledge gained from their school.

MARY A. BERGMAN

Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3; FHA 2; Glee Club 2,3; Junior Play; Y-Teens 3,4 (V. Pres. 4); Senior Play; Voyager.

HELEN L. BOOTH

Cheerleader 1; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3; Hi-Crier 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4 (Accompanist 4); Bowling 2; FHA 2, 4 (Pres. 4); Library 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Class Historian; Voyager.

JAMES BRANDT

Hi-Y 2, Glee Club 2,3,4; Soccer 3; Fire Patrol 2, 3, 4; Voyager.

BETTY J. CARPENTER

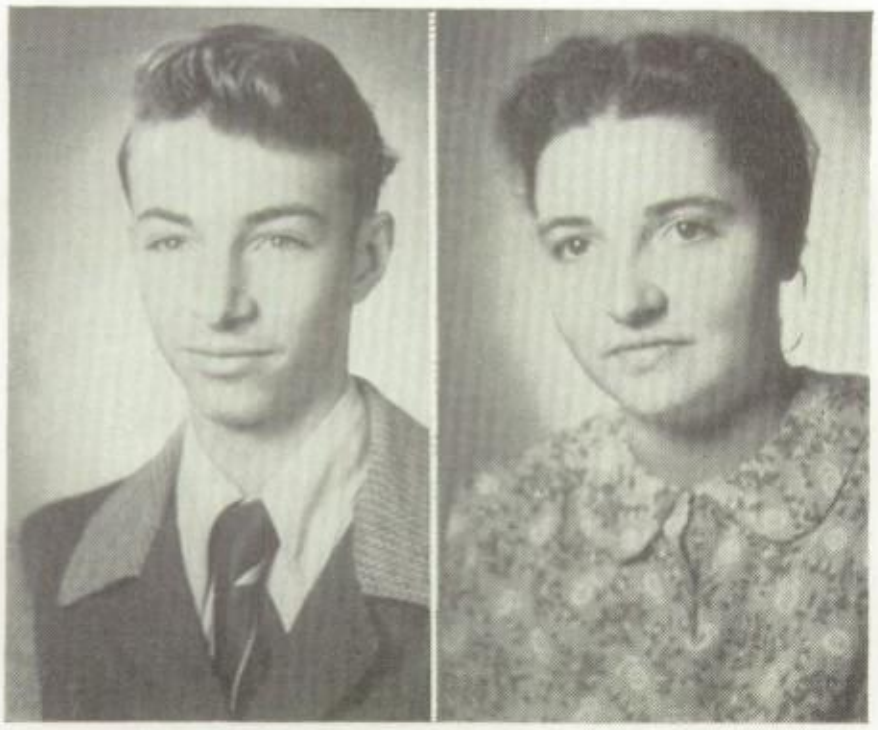
FHA 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3; Bowling 2; Junior Play; Senior Play; Library Staff 4; Voyager.

ROBERT E. CONNER

Bowling 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2; Rifle 3, 4; Soccer 4; Fire Patrol 4; Voyager.

GERALDINE F. CRAMER

Student Council 1; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2; FHA 1, 2, 3 (Treasurer 2); Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2; Library Staff 4; Voyager.



JACK EBERLE

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 2; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Fire Patrol 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Voyager.

ANNA ESPENSHADE

Class Secretary 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 4 (Pres. 1); Library Staff 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 3 (Sec.); National Honor Society 4; Business Manager, Magazine Campaign 4; Voyager.

GEORGE FITZKEE

Hi-Y 2; Basketball 2,3; Baseball 2, 3; Soccer 3, 4; Glee Club 3; Junior Play; Senior Play; Fire Patrol 4; Voyager.

MARY F. FITZKEE

FHA 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Intramurals 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Fire Patrol 4; Voyager.

BETTY I. GUTSHALL

Class Treasurer 1; May Queen's Court 1, 2; Cheerleader 1; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2; Hi-Crier 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Library Staff 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2; FHA 2, 4; Valentine Court 3; Student Council 3, 4 (Sec.); Junior Play; Senior Play; Voyager.

ROBERT V. GEBHART

Hi-Y 2; Fire Patrol 3, 4; Senior Play; Voyager.

FRANK D. HASSINGER

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Fire Patrol 2, 3, 4; Hi-Crier 3; Voyager.

NORMAN LINTON

Hi-Y 2; Baseball 2, 3; Fire Patrol 2, 3, 4; Rifle 3, 4 (V. Pres. 4); Soccer 3, 4; Student Council 4 (V. Pres.); Class President 4; Voyager (Circulation Manager).

VERDELLA B. LONGENECKER

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; FHA 3 (Pres.); Y-Teens 4; Hi-Crier 4; Voyager.

BETTY J. MARK

Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1; Y-Teens 3, 4 (Treas.); Fire Patrol 4; Senior Play (Asst. Directress); Voyager.

RICHARD MARTIN

Glee Club 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 (Manager 2, 3. 4); Hi-Y 2; Soccer Manager 3, 4; Fire Patrol 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Voyager.

FRANCES M. MAURER

Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2; Band 2, 3, 4; Library Staff 3, 4; Business Manager, Magazine Campaign 4; Senior Play (Asst. Directress); Voyager.

ESTHER M. MELLINGER

Y-Teens 3; Glee Club 3, 4; Voyager.

EVERETT G. METZLER

Class President 2; Hi-Y 2; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Fire Patrol 2, 4; Junior Play; Soccer 4; National Honor Society 4; Student Council 4 (Pres.); Voyager (Editor-in-Chief).

LUCINA MYERS

FHA 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Staff 2; Voyager.

EDWARD A. PENNELL

Bowling 1; Band 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Rifle 3; Fire Patrol 3, 4; Hi-Crier 4; Voyager.

JOHN D. RESSLER

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2; Hi-Crier 2, 3, 4; Rifle 3; Class President 3; Student Council 3, 4; Fire Patrol 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; National Honor Society 4; Voyager.

ROBERT K. SHANK

Student Council 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2; Fire Patrol 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; May Queen's Court 2; Senior Play; Voyager (Business Manager).

DOROTHY M. SHEETZ

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Intramurals 2, 3; May Queen's Court 3; Valentine Court 3; FHA 3 (V. Pres.); Voyager.

RICHARD A. SHEETZ

Class President 1; May Queen's Court 1; Glee Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 2; Fire Patrol 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Class Vice President 2, 3, 4; Rifle 3, 4 (Club Instructor 3, 4; Vice President 3; President 4); Junior Play; Senior Play; Voyager (Circulation Manager).

HELEN J. STAUFFER

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 4; Voyager.

WILLIAM STOHLER

Student Council 1; Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2; Bowling 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 2; Fire Patrol 3, 4 (Chief 4); Soccer 3, 4 (Captain 4); Voyager.

CATHERINE M. STRICKLER

Girls' Intramurals 2, 3; FHA 3; Hockey 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Y-Teens 4; Hi-Crier 4; Voyager.

E. LOWELL SUMPMAN

Class Vice President 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 1; Hi-Crier 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4 (Co-Captain 4); May Queen's Court 3; Soccer 3, 4; Junior Play; Fire Patrol 4; Voyager.

DALE WILLIAMS

Voyager.

BEULAH M. WOLGEMUTH

Student Council 1; Cheerleader 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1 (V. Pres.); Library Staff 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Business Manager, Magazine Campaign 4; Voyager.

BETTY M. ZEAGER

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1 (Sec.); Student Council 2; Library Staff 2, 3, 4; Business Manager, Magazine Campaign 4; Voyager.

EUGENE ZELLER

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Voyager.

HENRY ZERPHEY

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 2; Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4; Soccer Manager 3, 4; Rifle 3, 4; Fire Patrol 3, 4; Junior Play (Asst. Director); Voyager (Bus. Mgr.).

MARSHALL DUSSINGER

Rifle 1, 2, 3; Baseball 3; Fire Patrol 3.

DORIS ZINK

Glee Club 4; Voyager.

Ideal Senior

TO BE THE IDEAL SENIOR GIRL SHE MUST:

Be as Cheerful as . . . . . Mary Bergman
Have the Dramatic Ability of . . . . . Helen Booth
Be as Intelligent as . . . . . Anna Espenshade
Be as Athletic as . . . . . Mary Fitzkee
Be as Well-dressed as . . . . . Betty Gutshall
Be as Conscientious as . . . . . Lucina Myers
Be as Reserved as . . . . . Esther Mellinger
Be as Likable as . . . . . Helen Stauffer
Be as Cooperative as . . . . . Beulah Wolgemuth
Be as Good-natured as . . . . . Betty Zeager
Have Eyes Like . . . . . Betty Carpenter's
Be as Witty as . . . . . Geraldine Cramer
Be a Seamstress like . . . . . Verdella Longenecker
Be as Ambitious as . . . . . Betty Mark
Be as Dependable as . . . . . Frances Maurer
Be as Happy-go-lucky as . . . . . Dorothy Sheetz
Be as Polite as . . . . . Catherine Strickler
Be as Faithful as . . . . . Doris Zink

TO BE THE IDEAL SENIOR BOY HE MUST:

Be a Crooner like . . . . . Jack Eberle
Be as Happy-go-lucky as . . . . . George Fitzkee
Be as Sincere as . . . . . Robert Gebhart
Be as Good-natured as . . . . . Frank Hassinger
Be as Witty as . . . . . Everett Metzler
Be a Photographer like . . . . . Edward Pennell
Have the Sportsmanship of . . . . . Lowell Sumpman
Be as Well-liked as . . . . . Henry Zerphey
Have the Shop Ability of . . . . . James Brandt
Be as Athletic as . . . . . Robert Conner
Be a Leader like . . . . . Norman Linton
Have the Driving Ability of . . . . . Richard Martin
Have the Dramatic Ability of . . . . . John Ressler
Have Hair like . . . . . Robert Shank's
Be as Handsome as . . . . . Richard Sheetz
Be as Well-dressed as . . . . . William Stohler
Be as Cooperative as . . . . . Dale Williams
Be as Mechanically Inclined as . . . . . Eugene Zeller

Who's

Name	*Best Known By*	*Favorite Expression*	*Favorite Pastime*
Mary Bergman	Mary	Aw, nuts	Flirting
Helen Booth	Holly	Oh, brother	Staying up late
Betty Carpenter	Betty	Hi, Jakie	Dating
Geraldine Cramer	Gerry	Hot cinders	Tending pigeons
Anna Espenshade	Anna	My word	Selling candy
Mary Fitzkee	Fitz	For gosh sakes	Dancing
Betty Gutshall	Betty	Oh, boy	An Oldsmobile
Verdella Longenecker	Verdella	O, Henner	Driving the car
Betty Mark	Bets	Hi, honey	Acting corny
Frances Maurer	Fran	Oi-to-gut	Cowboying
Esther Mellinger	Esther	Good-night	Driving the tractor
Lucina Myers	Lucy	My word	Visiting Helen
Dorothy Sheetz	Dot	Oh, heavens	Tyndall's
Helen Stauffer	Helen	Murder days	Discussing Sunday nig
Catherine Strickler	Catherine	Oh, my gosh	Hockey
Beulah Wolgemuth	Wolgie	Gosh almighty	Bob
Betty Zeager	Zeagy	Holy mud	Wednesday night
Doris Zink	Doris	Good grief	Seeing Eddie
James Brandt	Jim	That's tough	Florin
Robert Conner	Bob	?????!!!!!!	Playing basketball
Jack Eberle	Jack	Oye, Oye	Wolfing
George Fitzkee	Millie	Like heck I do	Fink's
Robert Gebhart	Geppy	You don't say	Trapping
Frank Hassinger	Hass	You're not kidding	Claudia
Norman Linton	Red	Well, whatta ya know	Short senior
Richard Martin	Worm	Cripes	Peddling milk
Everett Metzler	Metz	Oh, well	Reading
Edward Pennell	Ed	Oh, my gosh	Dating Doris
John Ressler	Yohon	Ye-e-ah	Drawing
Robert Shank	Bob	Hi, buddy	Driving taxis
Richard Sheetz	Dick	?????!!!!!!	Visiting *Uncle*
William Stohler	Monk	Where's Nancy?	Bluffing
Lowell Sumpman	Russ	Yeah?	Short junior girl
Dale Williams	Dale	Gee whiz	Blonde senior girl
Eugene Zeller	Zeller	Ye-e-e-e-s ?	Milton Grove
Henry Zerphey	Hank	You skunk	Girls
Marshall Dussinger	Duke	Now, Miss Zeller	Taking orders

Who

Characteristic	*Really Is*	*Wants to Be*	*Will Be*
Always giggling	Bashful	Nurse	Just that
Happy	Lots of fun	Nurse	Successful
Dimples	In love	Office worker	Housewife
Short	Corny	Secretary	Farmer's wife
Pleasant	Studious	Teacher	Dental assistant
Tall and Blonde	Attractive	Secretary	Opera singer
Tall	Pretty	Dental assistant	Store clerk
Talkative	Nice kid	Teacher	College graduate
Always busy	Dieting	Nurse	Active one
Husky	A farmer's gal	Office worker	Farm owner
Quiet	Likable	Preacher's wife	A patient one
Everyone's pal	A good student	Nurse	Well-liked
Flighty	Cute	Nurse	Drug store proprietress
Jolly	Swell	Housewife	Farmerette
Bashful	Friendly	Slim	Professional hockey player
Ambitious	Easy to get along with	Stenographer	Successful
Naturally curly hair	Dependable	Russell's wife	Married soon
Cheerful	Eddie's girl	Married	In the Pennell family
Jolly disposition	Bashful	Carpenter	Bee keeper
Silly laugh	Murder in the halls	Nancy's husband	A farmer
Tall	A Sir Galahad	Singer	Chicken raiser
Pesty	Inquisitive	Physician	Shoe manufacturer
Sociable	A good pal	Trapper	Furrier
Funny	Conscientious	Movie projectionist	Ticket taker
Red hair	A good president	Auto mechanic	Furniture dealer
Small	A good sport	Coach	Milkman
Quiet	Studious	Engineer	Banker
Freckles	In love	Married	Photographer
Friendly	A good actor	Art teacher	Artist
Blond, curly hair	Beulah's beau	Printer	Just that
Dark complexion	Handsome	Undertaker	Same
New sweaters	Built well	Loafer	?????!!!!!!
Athletic	Good trumpet player	Sports commentator	Professional athlete
Cooperative	A hard worker	Pilot	Bachelor
Quiet	A good driver	Auto mechanic	Auto mechanic
Jolly	A comedian	Banker	A painter
One stripe	In the army	General	Master sergeant

GET THAT SERVE!

LOCAL VOCALS

BOARD!

WHAT A QUEEN!

HI, GEORGE

COMING TO WORK

AFTER "MIDNIGHT"

STEP RIGHT UP!

Class Motto

Today we follow;
tomorrow we lead

Class Colors

Blue and White

Class Flowers

Blue and White Carnations

Class

FRESHMAN

With anticipation for the next four years the Class of 1948 eagerly entered Mount Joy High School in the fall of 1944. They welcomed into the class a number of new pupils. These included Lucina Myers, Dorothy Sheetz, Robert Gebhart and Fred Loraw, who came from Florin; and Mary Bergman, Emma Fitzpatrick, Verdella Longenecker, Arlene Reisinger, Frances Maurer, Edgar Bergman, John Berrier and Robert Conner from rural schools. As their officers they elected Richard Sheetz, president; Lowell Sumpman, vice president; Anna Espenshade, secretary; and Betty Gutshall, treasurer.

The year included many parties, among which were a Hallowe'en party, which the faculty held for them in October and at which time they were initiated into the O. S. S. (Order of Spirited Spooks), two ice-skating parties at the Hershey Ice Palace and a bicycle hike climaxed by a picnic at the Cove.

They also visited the Lancaster Criminal Court as a civics project. Betty Gutshall and Richard Sheetz represented them in the May Queen's Court.

SOPHOMORE

Entering their sophomore year, the class chose as president, Everett Metzler; vice president, Richard Sheetz; secretary, Anna Espenshade; and treasurer, June Angstadt. As their first dance they sponsored the May Hop, at which jeweled tiaras designed by Josef Krasley, art teacher, were added as a special feature.

The sophomores had a magazine campaign and basketball concessions. This year they also ordered their school rings. Betty Gutshall and Robert Shank were the class's attendants in the May Court.

JUNIOR

The '48'ers returned to M. J. H. S. in the fall of 1946 with the feeling that now they were really getting somewhere as upperclassmen. They chose their class colors, blue and white, and ordered their pennants, hats and emblems. They elected John Ressler as president, Richard Sheetz as vice president, Anna Espenshade as secretary, and Beulah Wolgemuth as treasurer.

History

The class sponsored two dances this year, the Sadie Hawkins Day Dance in November and the St. Patrick's Day Dance in March. At this dance they awarded an RCA table model radio as a special attraction.

This year two members of the class, Helen Booth and Beulah Wolgemuth, were initiated into the National Honor Society. Anna Espenshade won the Dr. A. F. Snyder Memorial Prize in American History at the Class Day Exercises.

As its first dramatic production the class presented "June Mad," a comedy in three acts, with a cast of 13. Then the juniors entertained the seniors at a semi-formal prom. Betty Gutshall and Dorothy Sheetz represented them at the Valentine Dance and Dorothy Sheetz and Lowell Sumpman attended the May Queen.

SENIOR

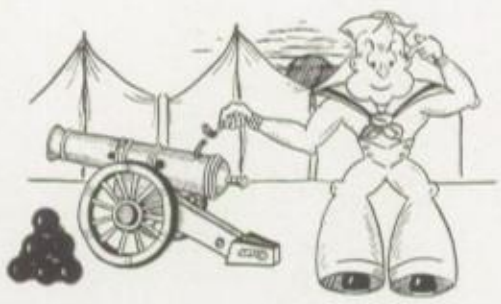
Finally the year that some had looked forward to, and others had dreaded, had come. In the class election Norman Linton was chosen president; Richard Sheetz, vice president; Anna Espenshade, secretary; and Beulah Wolgemuth, treasurer.

This year the class had its unforgettable stand at the Community Exhibit and sold food at basketball games. The seniors also had a food sale and held a Bunny Hop.

They displayed their dramatic abilities in "Midnight," a mystery-comedy with a cast of 13, as their second production. Three more students, Anna Espenshade, Everett Metzler and John Ressler, were initiated into the National Honor Society.

In January the future graduates were measured for their caps and gowns. This activity brought to them the realization that then it was a matter of only a few months. All that remained was the Washington trip, the Junior-Senior Prom, Class Day, Baccalaureate and Graduation Day.

These and many others are the memories the Class of 1948 will recall in years to come. Their four years in high school were filled with happiness, joys and, of course, a few disappointments; but they will cherish them all alike as they remember them through the years.



Class Will

We, the Class of Nineteen Hundred Forty-eight, do ordain and establish this document as our last will and testament, thereby revoking any other obligation which we heretofore made public in our younger, hapless years.

So that the school might continue happily, and not too monotonously, when we leave these premises, we leave the following personal talents, characteristics and other gifts to the underclassmen and faculty:

Jack Eberle's height to Walter Stoner.

George Fitzkee's inquisitiveness to Kenneth Drohan.

Robert Gebhart's seriousness to Glenn Shupp.

Frank Hassinger's ability as a magician to Charles Brooks.

Everett Metzler's studiousness to Bob Divet.

Edward Pennell's ability as a photographer to James Booth.

Lowell Sumpman's journalistic ability to Karl Max.

Henry Zerphey's jolly disposition to Glen Martin.

Marshall Dussinger's military experience to Abe Koser.

James Brandt's shop ability to Eugene Bender.

Robert Conner's long walk home to James Newcomer.

Norman Linton's red hair to John Melhorn.

Richard Martin's ability as a manager to Dick Boyd.

John Ressler's art ability to Anita Myers.

Robert Shank's blond, curly hair to Mr. Day.

Richard Sheetz's wolfing charms to Robert Kramer.

William Stohler's wardrobe to Bill Garber.

Dale Williams' willingness to cooperate to the juniors.

Eugene Zeller's rifle ability to Glenn Bailey.

Mary Bergman's coquettish personality to Verna Myers.

Helen Booth's versatility to Doris Hummer.

Anna Espenshade's conscientiousness to Marie Clement.

Mary Fitzkee's athletic ability to Nancy Myers.

Betty Gutshall's sales-girl ability to Thelma Sherk.

Lucina Myers' patience to Jean Wagner.

Esther Mellinger's driving ability to Victor Morris.

Helen Stauffer's cheerfulness to the faculty.

Beulah Wolgemuth's dramatic ability to Phyllis Hoffman.

Betty Zeager's naturally curly hair to Marianne Long.

Betty Carpenter's pretty blue eyes to Abbydine Markley.

Geraldine Cramer's small stature to Lorraine Kuhn.

Verdella Longenecker's typing ability to Elton Bomberger.

Betty Mark's ambition to Joanne Kramer.

Frances Maurer's steady boyfriend to Mary Jane Krall.

Dorothy Sheetz's waitress ability to Edna Bartch.

Catherine Strickler's homemaking qualities to Marian Foerch.

Doris Zink's meekness to Mary Grace Bucher.

Signed,

THE CLASS OF 1948

Activities

EVERETT METZLER, *Editor-in-Chief.*

Voyager Staff

Editor-in-Chief ..... Everett Metzler
Feature Editors ..... Helen Booth
Anna Espenshade
Mary Fitzkee
Betty Gutshall
Beulah Wolgemuth
Art Editor ..... John Ressler
Photographer ..... Edward Pennell
Business Managers ..... Henry Zerphey
Robert Shank
Circulation Managers ..... Norman Linton
Richard Sheetz
Typists ..... Betty Zeager
Frances Maurer
Betty Mark
Esther Mellinger
Helen Stauffer
Verdella Longenecker
Catherine Strickler
Mary Bergman
Dorothy Sheetz
Doris Zink
Editorial Assistants ..... Geraldine Cramer
Betty Carpenter
Lucina Myers
Robert Gebhart
Lowell Sumpman
Business Assistants ..... James Brandt
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Class Book Emerges from Chaos

INDECISION, financial troubles and the fact that it was one of the smallest classes in many years beset the Class of '48 as it returned to Mount Joy High School for its final year. Not the least of its worries was the question of a class annual. Could it create another *Voyager* under the existing circumstances?

Soon, however, things began to hum. Through a class vote a class book was agreed upon as the most practical publication. Under the supervision of Miss Catharine Zeller, class adviser, the various staffs and committees were appointed and soon began to function.

Printers were contacted, photographers were contracted and a theme was selected as inertia was overcome and work began. Along with popping flashbulbs and clattering typewriters, John Ressler, class artist, drew his clever sailor scenes. Then followed days of canvassing the town for ads, patrons and subscribers as the '48 *Voyager* took shape.

Now that it is all over, the staff can sigh again as they remember the relief that the arrival of the first copies brought them. As they leaf through these pages, may the members of the class recall fond memories of the years which they spent here at Mount Joy.

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Seated: Pennell, Carpenter, Espenshade, Metzler, M. Fitzkee, Ressler, Gutshall, Gebhart.
Standing: Wolgemuth, Booth, Miss Zeller, Sumpman, Hassinger.

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Standing: B. Bates, Metzler, Ressler, Linton, Max, Taylor.

Council Promotes Student Interests

THIS YEAR the Student Council entered its second year of organized operation as the governing body of M. J. H. S. Each class chose two representatives and each class president automatically became a member. The council president must be a senior elected by the student body.

The class presidents were: Norman Linton, senior; Karl Max, junior; Richard Taylor, sophomore; and Richard Tyndall, freshman. Other council members were: Betty Gutshall, John Ressler and Everett Metzler, seniors; Lee Ranck and Romaine Shenk, juniors; Nancy Angstadt and William Bates, sophomores; and James Booth and Thelma Sherk, freshmen.

A staff of officials was headed by Everett Metzler, the president. The other officers were: vice president, Norman Linton; secretary, Betty Gutshall; and treasurer, Lee Ranck. These students were aided by Mrs. Margaret Williams, guidance head, and W. I. Beahm, principal.

The council planned many activities. One of these was holding record dances after basketball games. They also held one record dance a week on the evening that was most convenient to everyone. There were dancing, shuffleboard, cards and ping pong for entertainment.

The organization sponsored the sale of Christmas Seals. They distributed the materials through their representatives in all the classes.

Finally, the council took charge of collecting and sending food for the Friendship Train. At present the group is concerned with raising money to build a Snack Bar.

Society Sets High Ideals

AN HONORABLE society in Mount Joy High School is the National Honor Society. This society was introduced into the school in June, 1945. The faculty advisers, whose duty it is to nominate students for this organization, are: Miss Edna Martin, H. K. Schoener and Miss Catharine Zeller.

When persons are selected for the society, four points are taken into consideration. They are: scholarship, service, leadership and character. The elected members should possess these four qualities and should exercise them to the extent that they influence students of their school.

This year the faculty chose five seniors for membership into this society. They are: Helen Booth, Anna Espenshade, Beulah Wolgemuth, Everett Metzler and John Ressler.

The National Honor Society has several purposes: It should create a greater interest in scholarship and encourage pupils to render services to their school and to their fellow-students, to develop leadership qualities, and to improve the character of all students.

The National Honor Society, if regarded with sincerity, should raise the standards of individuals who are attending Mount Joy High School.

Left to right: Ressler, Booth, Wolgemuth, Espenshade, Metzler.

Seated: Carpenter, G. Fitzkee, Wolgemuth, Booth, Gutshall.
Standing: Zerphey, Mrs. Broske, Martin, Bergman, Eberle, Ressler, M. Fitzkee, Metzler, Sumpman, R. Sheetz.

Juniors Portray Adolescent Problems

THE CLASS OF 1948 displayed its dramatic talent when it presented "June Mad," a comedy in three acts, by Florence Ryerson and Colin Clements, April 24 and 25, 1947. This production was under the direction of Mrs. Ethel Broske, mathematics teacher.

The play concerned "Penny Wood," Beulah Wolgemuth, and "Chuck Harris," George Fitzkee, the boy next door. Penny, who passed from childhood into womanhood within the course of several days, imagined herself in love with "Roger Van Vleck," Dick Sheetz, a senior in college who had a way with women. However, "Mrs. Wood," Helen Booth, declared that Penny was merely "June Mad."

Roger was the week-end guest of "Mervyn Roberts," Lowell Sumpman, Penny's uncle, who was only five years her senior. Mervyn wished he had Roger's technique in handling women.

"Dr. Wood," Everett Metzler, was driven to distraction by the young people. "Milly Lou," played by Betty Carpenter, became somewhat of a pest when she continually tagged after Mervyn, thus hoping to win his affection. However, "Julie Harris," Betty Gutshall, was the apple of Mervyn's eye.

Although "Mr. Harris," Jack Eberle, was rather severe with his son, "Chuck," during the course of the play the two finally came to a real understanding of each other which they had not had before.

"Effie," Mary Fitzkee, the maid who had a hard time keeping her petticoat hitched up, and "Elmer Tuttle," John Ressler, the handyman who was sweet on Effie, provided hilarity. Also included in the cast were "Shirley and Ralph Wentworth," Mary Bergman and Richard Martin. Henry Zerphey was the assistant director.

Front: M. Fitzkee, Ressler, Gebhart, Wolgemuth, Shank, Booth, R. Sheetz, Gutshall, Martin.
Rear: Miss Zeller, Mark, Maurer, Carpenter, G. Fitzkee, Bergman, Eberle.

Seniors Produce Hilarious Mystery

"MIDNIGHT," a three-act mystery-comedy, was presented November 6 and 7, 1947. This production, directed by Miss Catharine G. Zeller, English teacher, was the second to be given by the Class of '48.

"Julia Greenwood," portrayed by Helen Booth, a 50-year-old spinster, decided to come out to the deserted house her late father had left her, to get away from the noise of New Year's Eve. She brought with her, her colored chauffeur, "Leonard," John Ressler, who provided hilarity with his Negro dialect, and "Ellen," Beulah Wolgemuth, her maid.

When they arrived they found "Mr. Hardman," Richard Martin, the lawyer for the estate, roaming around the house. "Kate Bagley," Betty Carpenter, a newspaper reporter, and "Eddie Bower," George Fitzkee, a photographer who was secretly a G-man, soon arrived to cook up a feature on the house.

"Claire," Betty Gutshall, Julia's niece, and "Bob Morris," Richard Sheetz, Claire's fiance, surprised her aunt when they too came to the house. Just when Kate had said they had enough people for a party of their own, "Mr. Smith," Jack Eberle, a mysterious visitor with a foreign accent and really a spy, entered, carrying "Paula Ward," Mary Bergman, his companion.

Also involved in the plot were: "Mrs. Wick," Mary Fitzkee, the old housekeeper; "Joe Howard," Robert Shank, Ellen's boy-friend, who was working on a formula for a secret explosive, and "Hugh Nichols," Robert Gebhart, a government chemist.

An added feature of the play was the use of the Hammond organ, which produced a spooky atmosphere during the play and between acts. The music was furnished by Willard Newton, music supervisor.

Betty Mark and Frances Maurer were the assistant directresses.

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